

1 question of Delegate Marion for the purpose of clarifica-
2 tion. I do not understand whether your amendment means
3 that the Governor would appoint such officers as the General
4 Assembly may provide law that he shall appoint or
5 whether your amendment means that the Governor shall
6 appoint such officers as the General Assembly may by law
7 provide that there shall be. If the General Assembly
8 provides by law for one thousand officers and is silent
9 as to appointment, what is the meaning of your amendment?

10 DELEGATE MARION: I thought for a minute I
11 was going to agree it was the former but I think the
12 purpose is the latter. The General Assembly should
13 provide by law for such officers of the militia and then
14 provide that the Governor should appoint those officers.
15 I suspect there would be many officers the Governor would
16 not appoint.

17 THE CHAIRMAN: I am not sure I understand your
18 amendment again. My question is this. Does the language
19 you have used mean that the Governor will appoint only
20 those officers which the General Assembly by law says he
21 shall appoint?